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## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 4-26-48 Call letters KOWB  
 SEE CARD #2 FOR NAME LOCATION: LARAMIE, WYOMING  
 X CURT GOWDY ENTERPRISES, INC. (AL 11-9-66 EFF: 12-1-66)  
 X KOWBOY RADIO, INC., (AL 11-16-60; EFF: 11-30-60)  
 X KOWBOY BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 10-3-57; EFF: 11-9-57 )  
 X THE SNOWY RANGE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. (AL 6-2-48) EFF: 6-15-48  
 Name of licensee X CARROLL S. MOHR, FRED O. RICE, DOUGLAS D. KAHLE and GEORGE D. HUMPHREY  
d/b as THE SNOWY RANGE BROADCASTING COMPANY.

0.7 mi. E. of US 287, 2 miles S. of Laramie, Wyo. (CP 7-29-59)

Transmitter location On State Highway No. 130, .65 mi. W. of city limits of Laramie, Wyoming  
 (MP 10-17-47)  
 (Lic. 4-26-48)

0.7 mi. E. of US 287, 2 miles S. of Laramie, Wyo. (CP 7-29-59)

Main studio location On State Highway No. 130, .65 mi. W. of city limits of Laramie, Wyoming  
 (Lic. 4-26-48) (MP 10-17-47)



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl.<br>No.                                                                | Date<br>Issued                                                                                                                                                      | Freq.                                                                               | Power | Time<br>Div. | Period<br>From- To- |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|--------------|---------------------|
| BP-5001<br>Ltr. 6-21-47. C.P. for new station<br>filing T site and antenna. | 6-20-47                                                                                                                                                             | 1340                                                                                | 250w  | U            |                     |
| 5-P-5001<br>MP-3112                                                         | 10-17-47<br>Mod. CP (5001) to make changes in<br>and for approval of antenna, T and S sites.                                                                        | 1340                                                                                | 250w  | U            | 12-17 6-17-48       |
| BL-3013<br>BZ-2837                                                          | 4-26-48<br>Lic. to cover CP (5001 as mod) for<br>and determine operating power by direct method.                                                                    | 1340                                                                                | 250w  | U            | 4-26 2-1-50         |
| AL-724<br>EFF: 6-15-48                                                      | 6-2-48<br>Vol. assignment of license to THE<br>SNOWY RANGE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.                                                                               |                                                                                     |       |              |                     |
| BR-1924                                                                     | 1-25-50                                                                                                                                                             | 1340                                                                                | 250w  | U            | 2-1 2-1-53          |
| BR-1924                                                                     | 1-14-53                                                                                                                                                             | RENEWAL OF LICENSE                                                                  |       |              | 2-1 10-1-53         |
| BR-1924                                                                     | 9-2-53                                                                                                                                                              | RENEWAL OF LICENSE                                                                  |       |              | 10-1-53 10-1-56     |
| BTC-1792<br>EFF:                                                            | 9-1-54<br>9-1-54                                                                                                                                                    | Vol. trans. of control to John Alexander<br>and George B. Dent, Jr. (100%)          |       |              |                     |
| BTC-2310<br>EFF: 9-1-54                                                     | 9-19-56<br>and John Alexander, thru the gift by Dent of<br>one share of stock to Marie A. Dent and by<br>Alexander of one share of stock to June E. Alex-<br>ander. | Vol. Relinquishment of negative control<br>of licensee corp. by George B. Dent, Jr. |       |              |                     |
| BR-1924                                                                     | 9-26-56                                                                                                                                                             | Renewal of license                                                                  |       |              | 10-1 10-1-59        |
| BTC-2472<br>EFF: 5-4-57                                                     | 5-1-57<br>John Alexander, June E. Alexander and Marie A. Dent,<br>to KOWBoy Broadcasting Company.                                                                   | Voluntary transfer of control of licensee<br>corporation from George B. Dent, Jr.,  |       |              |                     |
| BAL-2800<br>EFF:                                                            | 10-3-57                                                                                                                                                             | Voluntary assignment of license to<br>KOWBoy Broadcasting Company                   |       |              |                     |
| BTC-2623<br>Eff: 11-9-57                                                    | 11-6-57<br>Richard P. McKee,<br>Virginia A. McKee and Gordon Davis, to:<br>Richard K. Power, John C. Hunter and<br>Oswald A. Friend, Jr.                            | Voluntary transfer of control of licensee<br>corporation from                       |       |              |                     |
| BAL-4040<br>EFF:                                                            | 11-16-60                                                                                                                                                            | Voluntary assignment of license to<br>KOWBoy Radio, Inc.                            |       |              |                     |



June 1954

## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters K O W B

Station location .....

CURT GOWDY BROADCASTING CORP. (AL. 12-31-74; EFF:

Name of licensee X See Card #1

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl.<br>No.                | Date<br>Issued                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Freq.                                                            | Power                 | Time<br>Div. | Period<br>From- To- |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|---------------------|
| P-12253                     | 7-29-59                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 1290kc                                                           | 1kw, 5kw-<br>LS, DA-2 | U            | 9-29 3-29-60        |
|                             | CP to change frequency; increase power; change antenna-transmitter & studio location; install directional antenna night & day (DA-2); make changes in ground system and install a new transmitter (GATES BC-5P) (Cond'l). |                                                                  |                       |              |                     |
| BR-1924                     | 9-9-59                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 1340kc                                                           | 250w                  | U            | 10-1 10-1-62        |
| MEMO dtd<br>BP-12253<br>(1) | 2-16-60                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | To correct inverse distance fields for nighttime operation.      |                       |              |                     |
| BL-7842                     | 6-29-60                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 1340kc                                                           | 1kw, 5kw<br>LS-DA-2   | U            | 6-29 10-1-62        |
|                             | Lic. to cover C. P. (BP-12253) which auth. chg. in freq., incr. power, chg. ant.-trans. & studio loc., install directional ant. night & day (DA-2), make chgs. in ground system & install new trans.                      |                                                                  |                       |              |                     |
| BL-7842                     | 6-29-60                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 1290kc                                                           | 1kw, 5kw-LS<br>DA-2   | U            | 6-29 10-1-62        |
|                             | Superseding auth. correcting the frequency to read 1290kc, and the nighttime common point current to read 4.6 amperes.                                                                                                    |                                                                  |                       |              |                     |
| BAL-4040<br>EFF:            | 11-16-60<br>11-30-60                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Voluntary assignment of license to KOWBOY RADIO, INC.            |                       |              |                     |
| BR-1924                     | 9-19-62                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 1290kc                                                           | 1kw, 5kw, LS<br>DA-2  | U            | 10-1 10-1-65        |
| BR-1924                     | 11-4-65                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Renewal of License                                               |                       |              | 11-4 10-1-68        |
| BAL-5888<br>EFF:            | 11-9-66<br>12-1-66                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Voluntary assignment of license to CURT GOULDY ENTERPRISES, INC. |                       |              |                     |
| BR-1924(L)                  | 10-10-68                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Renewal of License & NDEA                                        |                       |              | 10-1-71             |
| BR-1924(S)                  | 9-30-71                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | RENEWAL & NDEA                                                   |                       |              | 10-1-74             |
| EBSA<br>BR-1924(S)          | 5-25-72<br>10-30-74                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Renewal of License                                               |                       |              | 10-1-77             |
| BAL-8319                    | 12-31-74                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Vol. AL.                                                         |                       |              | EFF:                |
| BR-1924                     | 10-6-77                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | (L) RENEWAL OF LICENSE                                           |                       |              | 10-1-80             |
| EZ-9450(L)                  | 1-26-79                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Direct. Meas. <del>for</del>                                     |                       |              | 10-1-80             |



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# BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

First licensed . . . 4-26-48 . . . . .

Call Letters . KOWB . . . . .

Station Location . Laramie, Wyoming

Name . . . Curt Gowdy Broadcasting Corp. (AL. 12-31-74: EFF: . . . . .

Transmitter Location . . . . .

Main studio location . . . . .







## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call K O W B  
 Letters xNew

Name CARROLL S. MOHR, FRED O. RICE, DOUGLAS D. KAHLE and GEORGE D. HUMPHREY,  
d/b as SNOWY RANGE BROADCASTING COMPANY

| File No.                    | Dated                        | Application for                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Action                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |          |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
|                             |                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Nature                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Date     |
| B5-P-5001<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 7-6-46<br>7-9-46<br>7-9-46   | C.P. for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on<br>Frequency: 1340 kc<br>Power: 250 watts<br>Hours: Unlimited time<br>T & S location: To be determined,<br>Laramie, Wyo.<br>Filed by Norman S. Case, Atty.<br>Frank H. McIntosh, Engr.                                                          | <del>Granted</del><br><del>Above action set aside</del><br><del>and appl. designated for</del><br><del>hearing</del><br>Docket 7770 GRANTED<br>6-20-47 without hearing,<br>subj. filing MP approval<br>T site and antenna<br>Letter written 6-21-47<br>Issued with MP 3112 | 12-17-46 |
| BMP-3112<br>Rec'd<br>Filed  | 8-18-47<br>8-19-47<br>9-2-47 | Mod. of C.P. (B5-P-5001, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to make changes in transmitting equip., and for approval of antenna, transmitter and studio locations at On State Hwy. 130, .65 mi. W. of city limits of Laramie, Wyo.<br>(Filed by Norman S. Case, Atty.; Jas. R. Croy, Engr.) | GRANTED                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 10-17-47 |



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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6-2-48 Call

Name ☒ The SNOWY RANGE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. (AL/ Letters **K O W B**)  
☒ CARROLL S. MOHR, FRED C. RICE, DOUGLAS D. KAHLE and GEORGE D. HUMPHREY,  
 d/b as SNOWY RANGE BROADCASTING COMPANY

| File No.                  | Dated                         | Application for                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Action          |                   |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
|                           |                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Nature          | Date              |
| BL-3013<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 2-16-48<br>2-18-48<br>2-18-48 | License to cover C.P1 (B5-P-5001, as mod.,)<br>which authorized a new standard broadcast<br>station.<br><br>and<br>Authority to determine operating power by<br>direct measurement of antenna power.                                       | GRANTED         | 4-26-48           |
| BZ-2837<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 2-16-48<br>2-18-48<br>2-18-48 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                 |                   |
| BAL-724<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 4-13-48<br>4-20-48<br>4-20-48 | Voluntary Assignment of License from Carroll<br>S.Mohr, Fred C.Rice, Douglas D.Kahle and George<br>D.Humphrey, d/b as Snowy Range Broadcasting<br>Company <u>to</u> The Snowy Range Broadcasting Company,<br>Inc.<br>John C.Spearman,Atty. | GRANTED<br>EFF: | 6-2-48<br>6-15-48 |

*Personal file sent with 7-20-48*



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters K O W BName SNOWY RANGE BROADCASTING CO., INC.

| File No.                                     | Dated                                               | Application for                                                             | Action                                                          |                                    |
|----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
|                                              |                                                     |                                                                             | Nature                                                          | Date                               |
| BR-1924<br>Rec'd<br>Resubm.<br>Rec'd         | 11-21-49<br>11-22-49<br>12-8-49<br>12-8-49          | Renewal of license                                                          | <del>Ret'd</del><br><del>Sgn'd by Gen. Manager</del><br>Granted | <del>1-2-1-49</del><br><br>1-25-50 |
| BR-1924<br>Rec'd<br>Filed                    | 10-29-52<br>11-3-52<br>11-3-52                      | Renewal of License                                                          | GRANTED                                                         | 1-14-53                            |
| BR-1924<br>Rec'd<br>Resub.<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 6-26-53<br>6-29-53<br>7-14-53<br>7-17-53<br>7-17-53 | Renewal of License <del>(Sect. II dated after</del><br><del>-Sect. I)</del> | <del>RETURNED</del><br>GRANTED                                  | <del>JUL-2-53</del><br>9-2-53      |



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

Call  
Letters

KOWB

Name THE SNOWY RANGE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

| File No. | Dated   | Application for                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Action  |         |
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|          |         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Nature  | Date    |
| BTC-1792 | 8-3-54  | Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from F. O. Rice, Carroll S. Mohn, George D. Humphrey, and Alfred M. Pence, to John Alexander and George B. Dent, Jr. (100%).                                                                                        | GRANTED | 9-1-54  |
| Rec'd    | 8-9-54  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | EFF:    | 9-1-54  |
| Filed    | 8-9-54  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |         |         |
| BR-1924  | 6-25-56 | John C. Spearman, Atty.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |         |         |
|          |         | Renewal of license                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |         |         |
| Rec'd    | 6-29-56 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | GRANTED | 9-26-56 |
| Filed    | 6-29-56 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |         |         |
| BTC-2310 | 8-20-56 | Voluntary relinquishment of negative control of licensee corporation by George B. Dent, Jr., individually, and John Alexander, individually, through the gift by Dent of one share of stock to Marie A. Dent and by Alexander of one share of stock to June E. Alexander. | GRANTED | 9-19-56 |
| Rec'd    | 8-23-56 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | EFF:    | 9-1-54  |
| Filed    | 8-23-56 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |         |         |
|          |         | Russell Rowell, Atty.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |         |         |



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG. 1955

KOWBoy BROADCASTING COMPANY

Call  
Letters K O W BName ☒ THE SNOWY RANGE BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.  
Laramie, Wyoming

| File No.                   | Dated    | Application for                                                                                                                                                                                      | Action          |         |
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|                            |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Nature          | Date    |
| BTC-2472<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 4-6-57   | Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation George B. Dent, Jr., John Alexander, Marie A. Dent and June E. Alexander, to KOWBoy Broadcasting Company.<br><br>Benito Gaguine, Atty.         | GRANTED<br>EFF  | 5-1-57  |
|                            | 4-9-57   |                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                 | 5-4-57  |
|                            | 4-9-57   |                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                 |         |
| BAL-2800<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 9-13-57  | Voluntary assignment of license to KOWBoy Broadcasting Company.<br><br>Benito Gaguine, Atty.                                                                                                         | GRANTED<br>EFF: | 10-3-57 |
|                            | 9-17-57  |                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                 | 11-9-57 |
|                            | 9-17-57  |                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                 |         |
| BTC-2623<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 10-11-57 | Voluntary transfer of control of licensee from Richard P. McKee, Virginia A. McKee and Gordon Davis to Richard Power, John Hunter and Oswald A. Friend, Jr.<br>Fly, Shuebruk, Blume & Gaguine, Atty. | GRANTED<br>Eff: | 11-6-57 |
|                            | 10-14-57 |                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                 | 11-9-57 |
|                            | 10-14-57 |                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                 |         |



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AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters **K O W B**

Name **KOWBOY BROADCASTING COMPANY**

| File No.  | Dated   | Application for                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Action                                 |         |
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|           |         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Nature                                 | Date    |
| BP-12,253 | 7-28-58 | Construction permit to change frequency from 1340kc to 1290kc; increase power from 250w U to 1kw-5kwLS; change antenna-trans. & studio location from On State Highway No.130; 0.65 mi west of city limits of Laramie, Wyoming TO 0.7 mi E of US 287, 2 miles S of Laramie, Wy., install directional antenna night & day(DA-2); make changes in ground system and install a new transmitter (GATES BC 5P). | GRANTED                                | 7-29-59 |
| Rec'd     | 8-8-58  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Cond'l re: Phase Mon.;                 |         |
| Filed     | 8-8-58  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Field meas. equip.; DA & non DA Proof. |         |
|           |         | Atty. - Fly, Shuebruk, Blume & Gaguine<br>Engr. - Vir N. James, Denver, Colo.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                        |         |



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

AUG. 1955

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Call  
Letters KOWBName KOWBOY BROADCASTING COMPANY

| File No.                   | Dated                            | Application for                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Action          |                      |
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|                            |                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Nature          | Date                 |
| BR-1924<br>Rec'd<br>Filed  | 6-25-59<br>6-30-59<br>6-30-59    | Renewal of license<br><br>Lauren A. Colby, Attny.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | GRANTED         | 9-9-59               |
| BL-7842<br>Rec'd<br>Filed  | 2-8-60<br>2-9-60<br>2-9-60       | License to cover construction permit (BP-12,253) which authorized change in frequency, increase power, change antenna-transmitter & studio location, install directional antenna night & Day (DA-2), make changes in ground system and install new transmitter.<br><br>Lauren A. Colby, Atty.<br>Vir N. James, Engr. | GRANTED         | 6-29-60              |
| BAL-4040<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 10-17-60<br>10-21-60<br>10-21-60 | Voluntary assignment of license to KOWBOY Radio, Inc.<br><br>Lauren A. Colby, Atty.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | GRANTED<br>EFF: | 11-16-60<br>11-30-60 |



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Aug. 1955 # 8

Call  
Letters KOWB

CURT GOWDY ENTERPRISES, INC.

Name X KOWBOY RADIO, INC.  
LARAMIE, WYOMING

| File No.                                        | Dated                        | Application for                                                                              | Action                  |          |
|-------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|----------|
|                                                 |                              |                                                                                              | Nature                  | Date     |
| BR-1924<br>Rec'd<br>Filed                       | 6-29-62<br>7-9-62<br>7-9-62  | Renewal of license<br><br>Benito Gaguine, Atty.                                              | GRANTED                 | 9-19-62  |
| BR-1924<br>Rec'd<br>Filed                       | 7/18/65<br>9/3/65<br>9/24/65 | Renewal of license                                                                           | GRANTED                 | 11-4-65  |
| BAL-5888<br>R & F                               | 9-27-66<br>10-3-66           | Voluntary assignment of license to CURT<br>GOWDY ENTERPRISES, INC.<br><br>Atty - Harry Sells | GRANTED<br>EFF: 12-1-66 | 11-9-66  |
| BR-1924<br>R & F<br>#410232 \$75<br>JUL 29 1968 | 2/28/68<br>3/1/68<br>3/1/68  | Renewal of license<br>AMENDED 9-6-68 re: Balance Sheet<br>AMENDED 9-27-68 re: Programming    | GRANTED                 | 10-10-68 |



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Form BC-121  
September 1969  
10-48

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters K O W B

CURT GOWDY BROADCASTING CORP.  
X CURT GOWDY ENTERPRISES, INC.  
Name .....  
LARAMIE, WYOMING

| File No.                                                  | Dated    | Application for                                    | Action  |          |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------------------------|---------|----------|
|                                                           |          |                                                    | Nature  | Date     |
| 3-26-71 Annual filing fee \$20.00 paid 10-12-70, #635660. |          |                                                    |         |          |
| BR-1924                                                   | 6-30-71  | RENEWAL OF LICENSE                                 |         |          |
| R & F                                                     | 7-1-71   | Harry G. Sells, Atty.                              | GRANTED | 9-30-71  |
| PN Recd.                                                  | "        | AMENDED 8-20-71 re: programming                    |         |          |
| PRESS                                                     |          |                                                    |         |          |
| JUL 27 1971                                               |          |                                                    |         |          |
| BR-1924                                                   | 5-23-74  | RENEWAL OF LICENSE                                 |         |          |
| R & F                                                     | 5-31-74  | Harry G. Sells, Atty.                              | GRANTED | 10-30-74 |
| PN Recd.                                                  | "        | AMENDED 10-2-74 re: community survey; programming; |         |          |
| PRESS                                                     |          | EEO                                                |         |          |
| JUN 5 1974                                                |          |                                                    |         |          |
| BAL-8319                                                  | 12-18-74 | Voluntary assignment of license to                 |         |          |
| R & F                                                     | 12-23-74 | CURT GOWDY BROADCASTING CORP.                      | GRANTED | 12-31-74 |
| FEE PD: \$250 # 376783                                    |          |                                                    | EFF:    |          |
| CODE 047(FORM 316)                                        |          | Atty - Harry G. Sells                              |         |          |
| ALSO SEE WEAT ETC                                         |          |                                                    |         |          |
| DEC 30 1974                                               |          |                                                    |         |          |



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Form BC-121

May 1976

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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters K O W BName CURT GOWDY BROADCASTING CORP.  
LARAMIE, WYOMING

| File No.                                                                       | Dated                                                                              | Application for                                                                                                        | Action                            |         |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|
|                                                                                |                                                                                    |                                                                                                                        | Nature                            | Date    |
| BR-1924<br>R & F<br>PN Recd.<br>PRESS                                          | 5-16-77<br>5-31-77<br>"<br><b>JUN 9 1977</b>                                       | RENEWAL OF LICENSE<br>AMENDED 8-15-77 re: EEO<br>AMENDED 8-30-77 re: ascert. of comm. needs &<br>Harry G. Sells, Atty. | GRANTED                           | 10-6-77 |
| BZ-9450<br>R & F<br>\$100#490288<br>Amend<br>Amend<br>DM<br>PRESS <b>JUL 1</b> | 10-20-75<br>10-22-75<br>10-22-75<br>6-10-77 -<br>4-14-75<br>6-23-77<br><b>1977</b> | Direct Measurement<br>engr. data<br>trans. logs.<br>Atty: Harry G. Sells                                               | GRANTED<br>(Issued as of 1-26-79) | 8-8-77  |
| BR800602XJ<br>PRESS                                                            | <b>JUL 16 1980</b>                                                                 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE<br>AMENDED 9-29-80 re: other business interests &<br>ascert. of comm. needs & problems              | Granted                           | 9-30-80 |



## About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12<sup>th</sup> Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

